

**Via E-File**

PATENT APPLICATION  
Docket No. 15689.91

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of		)
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	Shinji Uebayashi et al.	)
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Serial No.:	09/998,599	) Art Unit
		) 2616
Filing Date:	November 16, 2001	)
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Confirmation No.:	4705	)
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For:	MOBILE STATION, BASE STATION AND	)
	COMMUNICATION METHOD	)
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Examiner:	Chirag G. Shah	)
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Customer No.:	022913	)

**AMENDMENT "E"**

Mail Stop AMENDMENT  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office action of August 22, 2006 (paper no. 20060816), please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 15 of this paper.